



NURSING CARE QUALITY ASSURANCE COMMISSION

Nursing Programs Annual Report Summary

2004 – 2005

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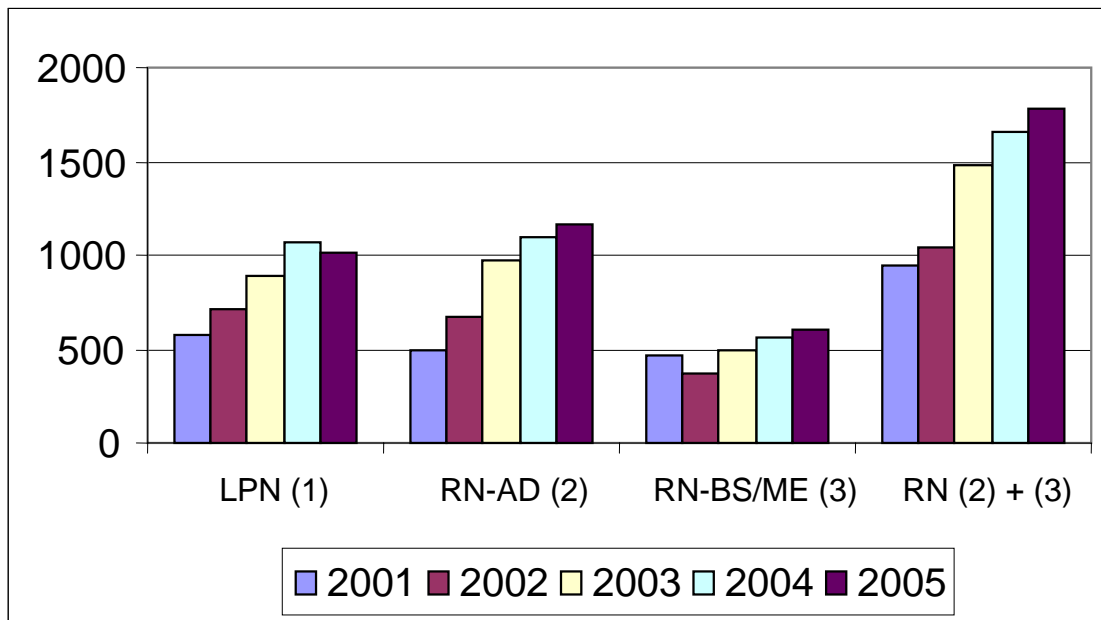
National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX) Data

NCLEX Totals

Another valuable source of information for the Nursing Commission is the number of individuals who qualify via Washington state nursing programs to take the NCLEX-PN and NCLEX-RN exams. The data summarized in the following table shows an impressive increase in the numbers of graduates produced.

NCLEX: First-time Takers (Washington State Schools)

	LPN (1)	RN-AD (2)	RN-BS/ME (3)	RN (2) + (3)
2001	579	487	464	951
2002	706	675	369	1044
2003	897	979	499	1478
2004	1063	1099	565	1664
2005	1018	1169	608	1777
Increase	439; 76%	682; 140%	144; 31%	826; 87%



The new nursing education WACs (effective June 26, 2005) require the Nursing Commission to monitor NCLEX results over a five year time span. Programs with passing rates below 80% for two years or more are required to communicate with the Nursing Commission regarding action to address the passing rate [see WAC 246-840-530 (3)(j)]. NCLEX –PN and NCLEX-RN passing rates are public information; the following tables have been prepared to monitor the nursing programs as required.

ADN

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Bellevue Community College	32/34 = 94.1%	31/42 = 74%	39/40 = 97.5%	43/47 = 91.5%	43/48 = 91.7%
Bellingham Technical College					
Big Bend Community College			12/14 = 85.7%	18/19 = 94.7%	15/21 = 71.4%
Centralia College					
Clark College	73/75 = 97.3%	4/6 = 66.7%	72/77 = 93.5%	75/81 = 92.6%	87/92 = 94.6%
Columbia Basin College	48/53 = 90.6%	50/62 = 81%	39/46 = 84.8%	38/42 = 90.5%	42/56 = 75%
Everett Community College	49/50 = 98%	44/48 = 92%	41/43 = 95.4%	67/71 = 94.4%	73/74 = 98.6%
Grays Harbor College		19/21 = 90%	18/22 = 81.8%	21/28 = 75%	20/29 = 68.9%
Highline Community College	50/55 = 90.9%	47/56 = 84%	46/57 = 80.7%	51/58 = 87.9%	54/64 = 84.4%
Lower Columbia College	33/34 = 97.1%	22/24 = 91.6%	40/46 = 87%	45/50 = 90%	48/53 = 90.6%
North Seattle Community College					14/15 = 93%
Olympic College	20/22 = 90.9%	34/37 = 92%	40/46 = 87%	46/55 = 83.6%	41/46 = 89.1%
Peninsula College	13/14 = 92.9%	13/13 = 100%	16/19 = 84.2%	14/15 = 93.3%	20/23 = 87%
Pierce College					9/11 = 82%
Seattle Central Community College			15/22 = 68.2%	15/21 = 71.4%	27/30 = 90%
Shoreline Community College	73/78 = 93.6%	70/73 = 96%	83/86 = 96.5%	87/91 = 95.6%	80/85 = 94%
Skagit Valley College		42/45 = 93%	37/38 = 97.4%	55/60 = 91.7%	43/49 = 87.8%
South Puget Sound Community College		26/28 = 93%	39/45 = 86.7%	49/61 = 80.3%	42/55 = 76.4%
Spokane Community College		64/69 = 93%	101/107 = 94.4%	103/121 = 85.1%	90/103 = 87.4%
Tacoma Community College	41/42 = 97.6%	38/39 = 97%	52/59 = 88.2%	50/61 = 82%	69/72 = 95.8%
Walla Walla Community College		55/64 = 86%	84/93 = 90.3%	82/99 = 82.8%	98/126 = 77.8%
Wenatchee Valley College		31/33 = 94%	50/62 = 80.7%	56/65 = 86.2%	54/63 = 85.7%
Whatcom Community College					
Yakima Community College	24/30 = 80%	30/31 = 97%	48/57 = 84.2%	43/54 = 79.6%	47/54 = 87%

LPN

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Bates Technical College	50/50 = 100%	63/63 = 100%	46/46 = 100%	61/62 = 98.4%	69/69 = 100%
Bellingham Technical College	38/41 = 92.7%	42/50 = 84%	50/58 = 86.2%	78/81 = 96.3%	68/74 = 91.9%
Big Bend Community College	20/20 = 100%	16/17 = 94%	21/21 = 100%	19/21 = 90.5%	12/12 = 100%
Centralia College		26/28 = 93%	24/25 = 96%	43/44 = 97.7%	35/41 = 85.4%
Clark College	10/12 = 83.3%	13/13 = 100%	2/2 = 100%		
Clover Park Tech	65/69 = 94.2%	60/62 = 97%	89/90 = 98.9%	91/91 = 100%	68/71 = 95.9%
Columbia Basin College		33/34 = 97%	34/34 = 100%	50/52 = 96.2%	36/36 = 100%
Everett Community College	27/27 = 100%	13/13 = 100%	27/27 = 100%	34/34 = 100%	34/34 = 100%
Grays Harbor College	9/9 = 100%	9/12 = 75%	26/27 = 96.3%	30/34 = 88%	36/38 = 94.7%
Green River Community College	20/21 = 95.2%	12/12 = 100%	36/39 = 92.3%	35/36 = 97.2%	21/24 = 87.4%
Heritage College					
Lake Washington Tech	12/17 = 70.6%	28/35 = 80%	62/68 = 91.2%	39/41 = 95.1%	60/67 = 89%
Lower Columbia College	51/51 = 100%	38/38 = 100%	62/62 = 100%	73/74 = 98.7%	63/64 = 98.4%
North Seattle Community College	31/36 = 86.1%	23/25 = 92%	41/42 = 97.6%	33/36 = 91.7%	52/54 = 96.3%
Olympic College			12/15 = 80%	20/25 = 80%	23/25 = 92%
Renton Technical College	15/16 = 93.8%	54/56 = 96%	29/36 = 80.6%	75/79 = 94.9%	50/52 = 96%
Skagit Valley - Whidbey	24/26 = 92.3%	27/29 = 93%	29/31 = 93.6%	53/57 = 93%	36/48 = 75%
Skagit Valley College		10/10 = 100%	5/5 = 100%	13/13 = 100%	12/12 = 100%
South Puget Sound Community College	23/23 = 100%	23/24 = 96%	46/46 = 100%	28/28 = 100%	31/32 = 97%
South Seattle Community College				23/25 = 92%	24/29 = 82.8%
Spokane Community College	61/61 = 100%	49/49 = 100%	63/65 = 96.9%	52/53 = 98.1%	49/49 = 100%
Walla Walla Community College	36/37 = 97.3%	39/39 = 100%	42/43 = 97.7%	51/52 = 98.1%	48/48 = 100%
Wenatchee Valley College	30/30 = 100%	60/62 = 96.7%	64/64 = 100%	66/66 = 100%	88/88 = 100%
Yakima Community College	31/33 = 93.9%	33/35 = 94%	51/51 = 100%	53/59 = 94.9%	51/51 = 100%

BSN / MEPN

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Gonzaga University - BSN					
Northwest University - BSN		0/1 = 0%	11/16 = 68.8%	22/30 = 73.3%	25/32 = 78%
Pacific Lutheran University - BSN	65/72 = 90.3%	66/70 = 94%	49/54 = 90.7%	75/86 = 87.2%	63/66 = 95%
Pacific Lutheran University - MEPN					11/11 = 100%
Seattle Pacific University - BSN	49/55 = 89.1%	44/51 = 86%	44/50 = 88%	36/54 = 66.7%	39/49 = 80%
Seattle University - BSN	91/106 = 85.8%	29/35 = 83%	92/107 = 86%	95/108 = 88%	83/95 = 87%
Seattle University- MEPN					19/19 = 100%
University of Washington - BSN	68/72 = 94.4%	73/77 = 95%	71/80 = 88.8%	74/80 = 92.5%	88/93 = 94.6%
University of Washington - MEPN					19/19 = 100%
Walla Walla College - BSN	31/35 = 86.6%		38/41 = 92.7%	32/41 = 78.1%	45/46 = 97.8%
Washington State University-ICNE - BSN	105/124 = 84%	114/135 = 84%	142/151 = 94%	154/166 = 92.8%	161/178 = 90%

Acronyms

ADN - Associate Degree in Nursing
 ARNP - Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner
 BSN – Bachelor of Science in Nursing
 LPN – Licensed Practical Nurse
 ME – Master’s Entry
 MEPN – Master’s entry program in nursing
 MSN – Masters in Science Nursing
 NCLEX – National Council Licensure Examination
 NCQAC – Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission
 NLN – National League for Nursing
 PN – Licensed Practical Nurse
 RN – Registered Nurse
 RNB – Registered Nurse Bachelors’